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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is a response in the above-identified patent application to a final Office Action dated 07/11/2005, and with the accompanying petition and fee, on 11/14/2005. With this response claims 7 and 8 have been canceled without prejudice. A total of 4 claims remain pending including 2 independent claims.

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 (currently amended)

A walker comprising:

a first generally U-shaped frame member having a first front leg and a first rear leg;

a second generally U-shaped frame member having a second front leg and a second rear leg;

a cross member joining the first front leg with the second front leg;

a first castor rotatably attached on the first front leg such that the first castor faces the second front leg;

a second castor rotatably attached on the second front leg such that the second castor faces the first front leg[.];